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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This preliminary amendment accompanies the U.S. national stage application for PCT Application PCT/EP2004/012968.

## Amendments

Please amend the application as follows: